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SUBJECT: REPLY TO PRIME MINISTER WILLIAMS' JULY 7 LETTER
TO SECRETARY VANCE

1. EMBASSY SHOULD DELIVER FOLLOWING LETTER FROM THE
SECRETARY TO PRIME MINISTER WILLIAMS ASAP.
2. BEGIN TEXT. DEAR MR. PRIME MINISTER:

THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR YOUR JULY 7 LETTER SUGGESTING
DISCUSSIONS BETWEEN OUR TWO GOVERNMENTS IN PORT OF SPAIN
DURING THE FIRST WEEK OF AUGUST. I HAVE ASKED MY STAFF
TO STUDY MOST CAREFULLY THE PAPER WHICH YOU ENCLOSED
AS THE BASIS FOR THE PROPOSED DISCUSSIONS.

AS SOON AS WE HAVE COMPLETED OUR REVIEW OF YOUR PAPER,
I WILL HAVE AMBASSADOR FOX CONVEY TO YOU OUR THOUGHTS
ON THE APPROPRIATE U.S. PARTICIPANTS, SUBSTANCE, AND
TIMING OF THE SUGGESTED TALKS.

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LET ME AGAIN EXPRESS MY APPRECIATION FOR THE OPPORTUNITY
TO MEET WITH YOU LAST MONTH. I FOUND OUR CANDID EXCHANGE
MOST HELPFUL, AND I WAS PARTICULARLY PLEASED TO HAVE YOUR
VIEWS ON CARIBBEAN PROBLEMS.

I LOOK FORWARD TO THE STRENGTHENING OF THE WARM AND

FRIENDLY RELATIONS AND COOPERATION BETWEEN OUR TWO
COUNTRIES.

SINCERELY, CYRUS VANCE END TEXT.

3. COPIES OF BOTH WILLIAMS' LETTER AND THE ENCLOSED
DOCUMENT BEING CARRIED TO PORT OF SPAIN BY AMBASSADOR
FOX. VANCE

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